
HOUSE RESOLUTION

REQUESTING A FINANCIAL REPORT FROM THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY
COMMITTEE.

1 WHEREAS, Act 288, Session Laws of Hawaii 2012, established
2 the Aha Moku Advisory Committee as part of the Department of
3 Land and Natural Resources for administrative purposes; and
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5 WHEREAS, the Aha Moku Advisory Committee was established to
6 serve in an advisory capacity to the Chairperson of the Board of
7 Land and Natural Resources on issues related to land and natural
8 resources management through the aha moku system; and
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10 WHEREAS, the aha moku system is a system of best practices
11 that is based upon the indigenous resource management practices
12 of moku boundaries, which acknowledges the natural contours of
13 land, the specific resources located within those areas, and the
14 methodology necessary to sustain resources and the community;
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17 WHEREAS, Act 288 provided the Department of Land and
18 Natural Resources with a general fund appropriation of \$76,500
19 for fiscal year 2012-2013, for the administrative costs related
20 to carrying out the duties of the Aha Moku Advisory Committee;
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23 WHEREAS, the Office of Hawaiian Affairs has also
24 contributed to the financing of the Aha Moku Advisory Committee
25 by providing necessary funds; now, therefore,
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27 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
28 Twenty-eighth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular
29 Session of 2015, that the Chairperson of the Aha Moku Advisory
30 Committee is requested to submit to the Legislature, not later
31 than July 31, 2015, a financial report, covering fiscal years



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1 2012-2013, 2013-2014, and 2014-2015, that itemizes the following
2 matters in an appropriate format:

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- 4 (1) Sources of funding, including general funds and
5 interdepartmental transfers;
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- 7 (2) Expenditures made, including both amounts and
8 purposes;
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- 10 (3) Projected expenditures; and
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- 12 (4) Operational costs; and
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14 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
15 Resolution be transmitted to the Chairperson of the Aha Moku
16 Advisory Committee, Chairperson of the Board of Land and Natural
17 Resources, and Chairperson of the Board of Trustees of the
18 Office of Hawaiian Affairs.
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OFFERED BY:  BR

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